



# MILLSTONE TOWNSHIP *Newsletter*

MAY, 2012

## 2012 TOWNSHIP COMMITTEE

NANCY GRBELJA - MAYOR

MIKE KUCZINSKI - DEPUTY MAYOR

GARY DORFMAN

BOB KINSEY

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## HIGHLIGHTS FROM THE TOWNSHIP CLERK'S OFFICE:

### DOG LICENSES:

Dog Licenses can be purchased at the Municipal Building between 8:30am and 4:00pm Monday through Friday in the Municipal Clerk's Office, Room 105. You may also mail your fee along with proof of rabies, and neutering/spaying to 470 Stagecoach Road, Millstone Twp., NJ 08510. Neutered/Spayed dog fee is \$10.00 and Non-Neutered/Non-Spayed dog fee is \$13.00. Late fee of \$5.00 per household goes into effect May 1, 2012 for all residents who have not renewed their dog's license.

### RABIES CLINIC:

Millstone Township will be holding a rabies clinic on Thursday, June 14, 2012 from 6:00pm to 7:00pm at the Public Works Garage located at 899 Perrineville Road. For more information call 732-446-4249, Ext. 1701.

### RECYCLING DATES:

May 2, 16 & 30; June 13 & 27

### VETERANS MEMORIAL COUNCIL:

All residents interested in serving on the Millstone Township Veterans Memorial Council, please submit your request and resume to: Richard Brody, Chairman, 470 Stagecoach Road, Millstone Twp., NJ 08510

### PRIMARY ELECTION:

**May 15** Last day to register to vote in June Primary

**May 29** Last day to receive by mail, application for vote by mail ballots

**June 5** Primary Election 6am-8pm

### OPRA NOTIFICATION:

A recent Appellate Division ruled that if you give any government agency your email or physical address it is subject to OPRA (Open Public Records Act).

## TOWNSHIP CLERK REPORTS HIGHLIGHTS OF RECENT TOWNSHIP COMMITTEE ACTIVITY:

### Resolutions

- Acknowledging receipt and review of Planning Board report Re: Historic Preservation Commission
- Endorsing the submission of the Recycling Tonnage Grant Application for the calendar year 2011, to the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection
- Authorizing State Contract Purchase for Rubber Mulch
- Authorizing execution of Partial Release of Developer's Agreement for MECO, Inc. Subdivision No. PMSF 01-08
- Authorizing Shared Services Agreement with Roosevelt Borough for Repair, Maintenance, Snow Removal and Ice Control on Nurko Road and providing Certified Recycling Services Coordinator
- Awarding Contract for 2012 Curbside Spring Clean Up
- Awarding Contract for Turf Fertilization and Chemical Program for various Township Properties
- Appointing Professional for Environmental Engineering Services
- Authorizing execution of Partial Release of Developer's Agreement for 200 Meco Drive, LLC, Site Plan No. Z06-08

### Ordinances

- An Ordinance Amending Chapter XXXV (Land Use), Article XIV (Historic Preservation Commission), Section 14-1 Membership



## We Need Your Information

Send us your organization's news, announcements or event calendar.

Fax your information to 609-208-2438 or e-mail to [k-hart@millstone.nj.us](mailto:k-hart@millstone.nj.us)

For more information, contact Kathleen Hart at 732-446-4249, Ext. 1702.





**Planning Board: March Meeting Cancelled**

**Board of Adjustment: 3-28-12 Meeting**

**Approval of Minutes:** February 22, 2012

**Resolution:**

**Z12-01 Hawk, Danielle** – Block 31, Lot 28. Located at 106 Agress Road and 108 Agress Road consisting of 2.3509 acres in the R-80 (Rural Residential) Zone. Two residences exist on the property. Applicant received approval to renovate one of the pre-existing, non-conforming homes on the property.

**Z07-12 Allen House** – Block 35, Lot 13.03. Located at 477 Stage Coach Road in the NC Zone. Property consists of 4.34 acres. On March 31, 2008, the applicant received Preliminary and Final Site Plan approval, Minor subdivision approval and use and bulk variance approval to remove the existing residential building, out buildings and barns and construct two (2) multi-family COAH dwellings for purposes of providing rental housing for the age-restricted. A combined total of 12 residential units were approved but the applicant has downsized that to 10 residential units and, therefore, a Minor subdivision of the property was not needed. The applicant sought an extension of time in order to perfect

the Plan. An extension of time was granted in June 2009. Applicant sought to downsize the project and sought administrative guidance.

**New Applications:**

**Z11-03 CKV Realty, LLC** – Block 57, Lot 16. Located at 33 Burnt Tavern Road consisting of 53.38973 acres in the BP (Business Park) Zone. Applicant seeks approval to operate a nursery and retail garden center including the construction of nine (9) structures. Applicant seeks Use Variance, Preliminary and Final Site Plan Approval, along with variance relief concerning side yard setbacks, buffering to adjacent residence, off-street parking, parking lot spacing and signage. Deemed Complete 1-19-12. Date of Action 5-18-12. Application heard in part and carried without further noticing to 4-25-12.

**Z12-02 Gesualdo, Ronald** – Block 37.03, Lot 29.05 located at 119 Agress Road consisting of .99 acres in the R-80 (Rural Residential) zone. Applicant seeks variance relief from Section 11-24.3 of the Township Zoning Ordinance, disturbance of steep slopes. The applicant seeks to stabilize the area by installing a retaining wall, apply top soil, seed and plant trees. Deemed Complete: 3-8-12. Date of Action 6-30-12. Noticing required. Board granted the application.

**GET READY FOR  
THE BARNEGAT BAY BLITZ II  
CLEAN UP THE BARNEGAT BAY  
WITHOUT LEAVING YOUR TOWN!**

**SAVE THE  
DATE  
MAY 9, 2012**



**Join your neighbors in a Watershed-wide  
cleanup and put trash  
where it belongs!**

**Sign up on line by submitting a Pledge Card  
at the Blitz website:**

**<http://www.nj.gov/dep/barnegatbay/bbblitz.htm>**

**Or contact the  
Millstone Team Captain, Ann Wolf  
at 609-292-4052  
or at [ann.wolf@dep.state.nj.us](mailto:ann.wolf@dep.state.nj.us)**

**\*\*\* REMINDER TO RESIDENTS \*\*\***

**NUMBERING OF PROPERTY**

**Per Ordinance Numbers: 87-9, 91-14, 93-08, 00-06**

**14-4.5 Specifications:**

House or building numbers shall be:

- In Arabic numerals.
- A minimum height of three (3") inches.
- Mounted in a secure fashion to the front wall or porch of the building or other fixed appurtenance in the front of the building so as to be clearly visible from the street.
- Sufficiently legible as to contrasting background, arrangement, spacing and uniformity so as to be clearly visible from the street both day and night. Reflective numbers are mandatory.
- At least thirty (30") inches above ground level and so placed that trees, shrubs and other obstructions do not block the line of sight of the numbers from the street upon which the building fronts.



6th Annual Millstone Township  
Open Space &  
Farmland Preservation Council

# CLAMBAKE

## Fundraiser

Sunday, June 3, 2012  
Wagner Farm Park

1st Seating 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm  
2nd Seating 3:30 pm - 5:30 pm

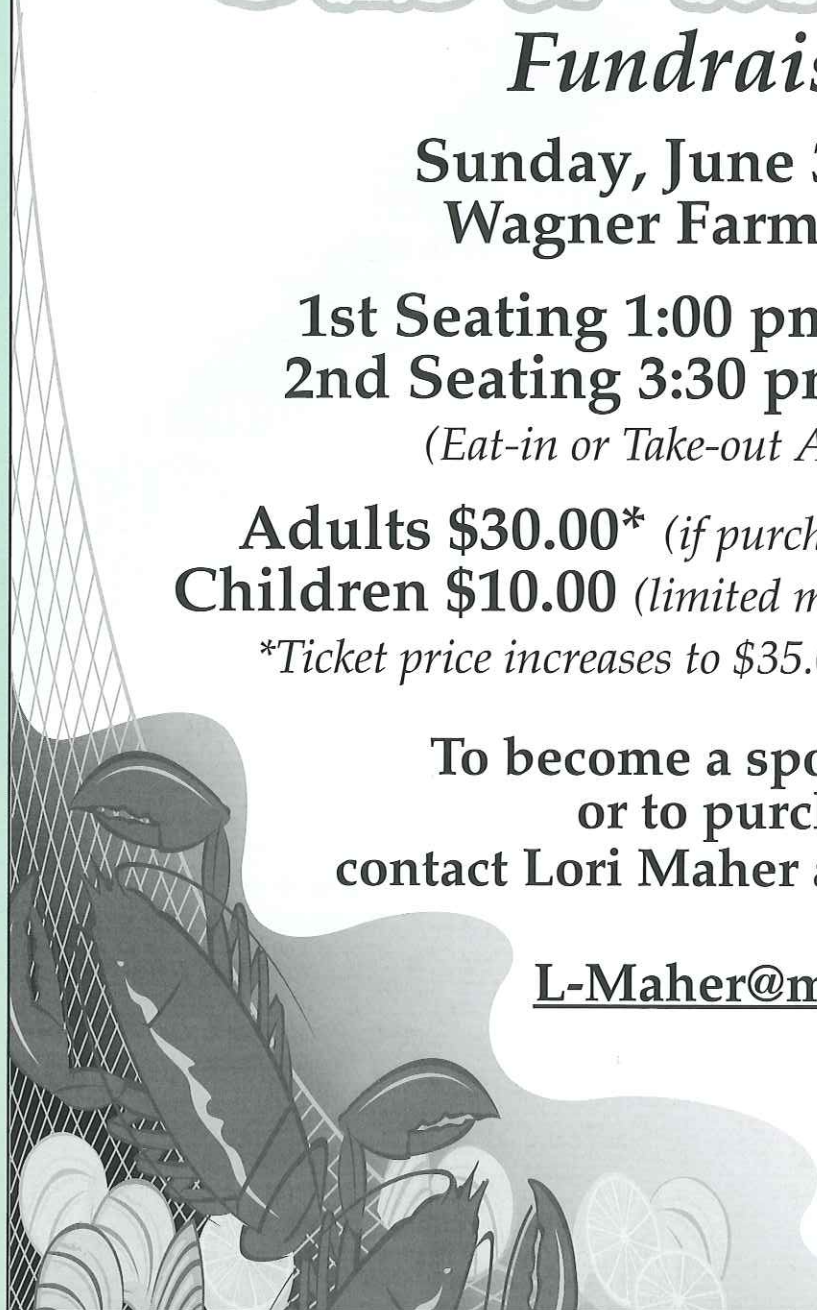
*(Eat-in or Take-out Available)*

**Adults \$30.00\*** *(if purchased by May 21st)*  
**Children \$10.00** *(limited menu, excludes lobster)*

*\*Ticket price increases to \$35.00 after May 21st*

To become a sponsor of this event  
or to purchase tickets,  
contact Lori Maher at (732) 446-4249 x 1103  
or  
[L-Maher@millstone.nj.us](mailto:L-Maher@millstone.nj.us)

Tickets must  
be purchased  
in advance





MILLSTONE TOWNSHIP RECREATION

# SUMMER WRESTLING

**Open to Grades:** K - 8th

**Location:** Wagner Farm Park

**Registration Fee:** \$50.00 + \$10 Building Use Fee

**Season runs:** June 19th - August 8th

**Tuesdays** K-2<sup>nd</sup> 6:30 - 8:00

**Thursdays** 3<sup>rd</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> 6:30 - 8:00



On-Line Registration  
@ [www.millstonetownshiprec.assn.la/](http://www.millstonetownshiprec.assn.la/)

Registration forms  
are available on the web  
@ [www.millstone.nj.us](http://www.millstone.nj.us)

# SUMMER TENNIS PROGRAM

**Juniors & Adults**

*Join in the fun and get in the game!*

**Instructor:** Ho Scott, PTR (Certified Tennis Instructor)

**Where:** Rocky Brook Park

**Dates:** June - August

**Bring:** Tennis Racket, water bottle and sunscreen

**Registration Fee:** \$125 + \$10 Building Use Fee

**Late Fee:** All registration forms received after June 11th will be charged a \$30 late fee.

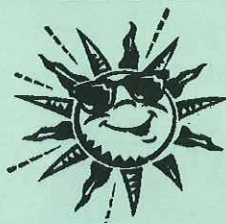
**Beginners:** An introductory program for players just starting out.

**Adv. Beginners:** For players able to rally but need work on stroke production & strategy basics.

**Intermediate:** Well rounded players with excellent knowledge of the game.

For additional information  
contact Ho Scott (609) 883-8456.

On-line registration @  
[www.millstonetownshiprec.assn.la/](http://www.millstonetownshiprec.assn.la/)  
or contact the Rec Dept at 732-917-2954



# SUMMER RECREATION 2012

*Come join us for a summer of fun!*  
**June 25<sup>th</sup> - July 27<sup>th</sup>**

Now accepting registrations!

**Held:** Millstone Primary School  
**Grades:** Entering 1<sup>st</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup> (as of 9/2012)  
**Time:** 8 am - 3 pm  
**Extended Care:** 7 am - 6 pm (additional fee)  
**Registration Fee:** \$395 + \$10 facility use fee = \$405.00  
**Late fee:** \$30.00 late fee enforced on all registrations received after May 18th  
**Trips:** Additional Fee  
**T-Shirts:** \$8.00 each (after May 18th)

On-Line Registration now available at  
[www.millstonetownshiprec.assn.la/](http://www.millstonetownshiprec.assn.la/)



# SUMMER BASKETBALL

Limited Space Available!



**Boys & Girls**  
Entering Grades 4<sup>th</sup> - 12<sup>th</sup>  
(Sept. 2012)

**Tuesday & Thursday**  
**Evening Games**  
**Abate Park**

**Season Runs:**  
**June 26<sup>th</sup> - July 26<sup>th</sup>**

**Registration Fee:** T.B.A.

For additional information  
contact the Recreation Office  
at 732-917-2954.

On-line Registration  
@ [www.millstonetownshiprec.assn.la/](http://www.millstonetownshiprec.assn.la/)



# The Township of Millstone Veterans Memorial Council Memorial Day 2012 Parade and Ceremonies

Monday, May 28, 2012

## Official Parade Entry Form

Parade Line-up begins at 9:15 A.M.

Location: Rte. 524, at the Clarksburg Post Office

Parade starts at 10:00 A.M. sharp!

Please submit this form by mail or in person to:

**Millstone Township Municipal Building**

**Attn: Veterans Council**

**470 Stagecoach Road, Millstone Twp., NJ 08510**

**Bill Nurko (609) 443-1974**

Organization name: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact name and phone # \_\_\_\_\_

Check all that apply:

☐ Color Guard \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Marching Band \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Marchers/organization banner \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Antique or other vehicle/organization banner \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Equestrian riders, coaches, # of carriages \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Other (describe) \_\_\_\_\_

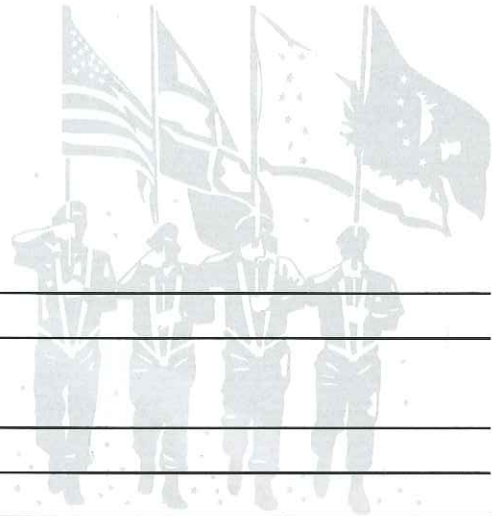
☐ Military display (describe) \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Official Emergency Services # of Vehicle(s) \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Will organization present a wreath during the ceremony: Yes\_\_ No\_\_

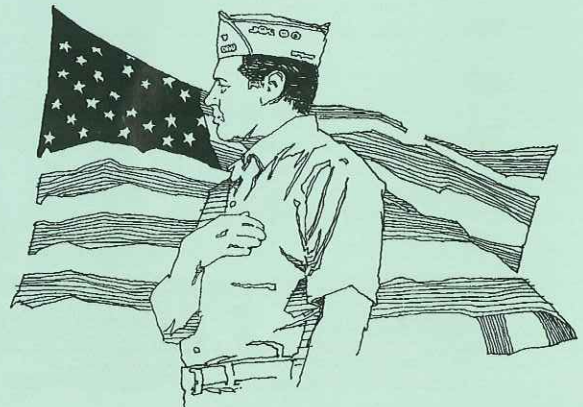
Please note that a parade form must be submitted to the parade Chairman in advance. All community based organizations and Military Veterans and their organizations are invited to march. Ceremonies will take place rain or shine.

The parade route covers a distance of 0.7 miles and ends at the Veterans Memorial site.



## MEMORIAL DAY PARADE

Come join the Millstone Township Veterans Memorial Council at the Memorial Day Parade **Monday, May 28, 2012**. Parade line-up begins at 9:15 AM at the Clarksburg Post Office. Parade starts at 10:00 AM sharp! Ceremonies will take place rain or shine. All residents and veterans are welcome to attend. Join us for a free barbecue at the Clarksburg Inn following the ceremony. If anyone is interested in participating in the parade, or would like more information, please contact Bill Nurko at 609-443-1974.





## ★★★★★★★★★★ Veterans Meeting Notice ★★★★★★★★★★

VVnW and The Veterans Coalition, Millstone Post NJ-03 will hold its regular monthly meeting at 7:30PM on the first Tuesday of each month at the Community Center. All honorably discharged US military veterans (From All Eras) and current serving military are invited to come and join. Bring a copy of your DD-214 discharge papers or Military ID.

Visit [www.theveteranscoalition.org](http://www.theveteranscoalition.org) or call Richard Brody at 732-792-2120.

# Property Tax Reimbursement (Senior Freeze)

## 2011

### Eligibility Requirements\*

**You must meet ALL of the following requirements:**

- You were age 65 or older as of December 31, 2010, or if under age 65, you were receiving Federal Social Security disability benefits as of December 31, 2010, *and* December 31, 2011;
- You have lived in New Jersey continuously since before January 1, 2001, as either a homeowner or a renter; *and*
- You have owned and lived in your home (or have leased a site in a mobile home park for a manufactured or mobile home that you own) since before January 1, 2008; *and*
- You paid the full amount of the 2010 property taxes due on your home by June 1, 2011, and paid the 2011 property taxes by June 1, 2012; *and*
- Your total annual income for both 2010 and 2011 was \$80,000\* or less. **NOTE:** With very few exceptions, **ALL INCOME** received during the year must be taken into account to determine eligibility (including social security, pension income, etc.).

**\*Eligibility requirements, including income limits, and benefits available under this program are subject to change by the State Budget.**



#### For Additional Information

Visit [www.state.nj.us/treasury/taxation/propfrez.shtml](http://www.state.nj.us/treasury/taxation/propfrez.shtml) or  
Call the Property Tax Reimbursement Hotline: 1-800-882-6597



## Millstone Township Fire Department

### *A Note from the Chief*

In today's economy "making ends meet" is a tall order and one that our Department and Board of Fire Commissioners takes seriously. Many of you know we recently completed our annual presentation of the budget and District elections held on February 18th. Proposing a flat budget to our residents is a monumental task when you think of the equipment, fuel, training and personnel on hand to protect our citizens 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, however with the efforts of our career staff, volunteers and the Board we made it happen. Most importantly you, the residents, made it happen by voting "yes" and approving the District budget. For that I am sincerely thankful for your generous support.

As we closed out year ending 2011, the Millstone Township Fire Department responded to a total of 750 incidences an increase of 7% over the previous year. To date we have responded to 169 calls already running ahead of last year. We have been dispatched to several structure fires as mutual aid to our neighbors and have extinguished a few fires right here in Millstone. We have also been dispatched to numerous motor vehicle accidents, several of which required patient extrication.

With the summer months fast approaching this is a good time to ensure you have fresh batteries in your smoke detectors and don't forget a Carbon Monoxide (CO) meter for your home. If you don't have one I recommend you immediately purchase one at your local retail or home building store. These are life savers!

Remember our department provides free home fire inspections as well as child car seat inspections. Feel free to stop down and speak to Lt. Alan South or Lt. Mike Maloney to schedule one of these inspections or contact the firehouse at 609-259-2560.

I look forward to providing you quarterly updates on the department and encourage you to visit us at [www.millstonefire.com](http://www.millstonefire.com) and [www.mtbfc.com](http://www.mtbfc.com). Have a happy and safe summer season.

Chief John Fiore



## Monmouth County Health Department

Michael A. Meddis, M.P.H. , Public Health Coordinator

### **Prescription and Over the Counter Drug Use, Storage and Disposal Guidance**

According to the Food and Drug Administration (FDA), keeping medicines after they are no longer needed creates an unnecessary health risk in the home, especially if children are present.

- 45% of the cases concerning children ingesting grandparent's medications involved child-resistant containers.
- Everyday, 2500 teens are using prescription drugs to get high for the first time, leading many of them into a life of addiction.

Overdose deaths caused by prescription painkillers have skyrocketed during the past decade, and the Centers For Disease Control And Prevention (CDC) has stated this a public health epidemic.

- Prescription painkiller overdoses killed nearly 15,000 people in the US in 2008.
- 36,450 people died of drug overdoses in 2008; a rate of 12 for every 100,000 people.
- Nearly half a million emergency department visits in 2009 were due to people misusing or abusing prescription painkillers.

Properly disposing of unwanted and expired prescriptions and over the counter medications in the trash promotes a healthy aquatic environment and prevents accidental poisoning and intentional abuse.

#### **3 Steps For Proper Disposal**

- Step 1** Keep medicine in original container and mark out personal information.
- Step 2** Dilute pills with water, and add coffee grounds, cat litter or dirt. Pour liquid medication directly in trash. Recycle bottle if possible.
- Step 3** Hide container with diluted pills in trash. **DO NOT RECYCLE.**



For further guidance on buying and using medicines safely, visit the following FDA website:  
[www.fda.gov/downloads/Drugs/ResourcesForYou/Consumers/BuyingUsingMedicineSafely/ UnderstandingOver-the-CounterMedicines/ucm107163.pdf](http://www.fda.gov/downloads/Drugs/ResourcesForYou/Consumers/BuyingUsingMedicineSafely/UnderstandingOver-the-CounterMedicines/ucm107163.pdf)







*All Meetings Take Place In The Court Room At The Municipal Building, 215 Millstone Road, Unless Otherwise Stated.*

### MONTHLY MEETINGS FOR MAY, 2012

1	Senior Executive Board – Community Center.....	10:00 AM – 12:00 PM
1	VVnW & Veterans Coalition – Community Center.....	7:30 PM
2	Upper Freehold School District BOE	
	Stone Bridge Middle School Library.....	8:00 PM
2	Township Committee.....	8:00 PM
3	Senior Citizens Crafts – Community Center.....	10:00 AM – 2:30 PM
3	Hospital Auxiliary.....	7:15 PM
7	Agricultural Advisory Council .....	7:30 PM
7	Standardbred Pleasure Horse Organization – Community Center.....	7:30 PM
7	Recreation Commission.....	8:00 PM
8	Senior Citizen Bingo/Subs – Community Center.....	11:00 AM
8	Municipal Court.....	4:30 PM
8	Garden State Horse & Carriage Society – Community Center.....	7:30 PM
9	Shade Tree.....	7:00 PM
9	Planning Board.....	7:30 PM
10	Pleasure Horse Club – Community Center.....	7:15 PM
10	M.T.F.E.E – Middle School Library.....	7:30 PM
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21	Office of Emergency Management.....	7:00 PM
21	Drug Alliance.....	8:00 PM
22	Municipal Court.....	4:30 PM
23	Board of Adjustment.....	7:30 PM
24	Open Space Farm Land Preservation.....	7:30 PM
28	Memorial Day – All Municipal Offices Closed.....	CLOSED
28	Fire Commissioners – Fire House.....	8:00 PM
29	Municipal Court.....	4:30 PM

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To contact the Township Committee:  
Mayor Nancy A. Grbelja 732-915-6964, Deputy Mayor  
Mike Kuczinski 732-895-3802  
Committeemen: Gary Dorfman 732-208-9693,  
Bob Kinsey 732-780-8389, Fiore Masci 732-735-1872



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